

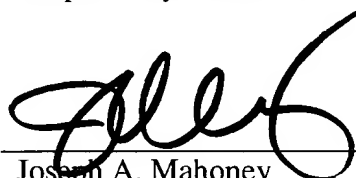
REMARKS

Applicant thanks the Examiner for taking the time to interview this case.

In view of the above amendment, it is respectfully submitted that the pending claims are now in condition for allowance. All such amendments and cancellations are without prejudice and are made solely to expedite prosecution.

The Examiner is encouraged to contact the undersigned with any questions or to otherwise expedite prosecution.

Respectfully submitted,

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